**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

PS – PR&RD Department, - Irregularities in execution of the work "Augmentation of PWS Schemes in Ungutur Mandal of West Godavari District" – Disciplinary proceedings against Sri G.Jaya Chandra Babu, the then Executive Engineer(I/C), RWS&S Division, Eluru, West Godavari District under Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control & Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of Charges – Orders - Issued.

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7. The receipt of the order be acknowledgment.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(PR)

To
Sri G.Jaya Chandra Babu, the then Executive Engineer(I/C), RWS&S Division, Eluru, West Godavari District through Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department, Hyderabad.
The Engineer in Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Hyderabad. (with a request to serve the charges to the individual and furnish a served copy to Govt.,)
SF/SC.

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**ANNEXURE - I**

**STATEMENT SHOWING THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI G.JAYA CHANDRA BABU, THE THEN EXECUTIVE ENGINEER(I/C), RWS&S DIVISION, ELURU, WEST GODAVARI DISTRICT.**

**CHARGE1:**

Sri G.Jaya Chandra Babu, the then Executive Engineer(I/C), RWS&S Division, Eluru, West Godavari District has released the withheld amount of Rs.1,10,63,016/- towards price variation and also failed to issue notices for slow progress of work for the work "Augmentation of PWS Schemes to Unguturu Mandal in West Godavari District" costing Rs.2000.00 lakhs. Thus he violated guidelines in discharging his legitimate duties.

**BASIS:-**

The State Vigilance and Enforcement Department has inspected the work "Augmentation of PWS Schemes to Unguturu Mandal in West Godavari District". Vide their appraisal report no.08 (C.No.1273/V&E/E2/2013), Dt.07.08.2014, GA (V&E) Department has recommended to initiate action against, Sri G.Jaya Chandra Babu, the then Executive Engineer (I/C), RWS&S Division, Eluru, West Godavari District.

The V&E Department has informed that an amount of Rs.1,10,63,016/- was withheld by the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Eluru towards price variation of pipes as difference of cost of pipes, duly considering the lower rate being the invoice rate than agreement rate and proposed withheld amount in the 3rd part bill as per agreement condition on price variation. But after elapsing of two years time, the present Executive Engineer in the 10th and part bill work released the withheld amount to the agency without any valid authentic reason. The bill was not prepared, signed, recommended by the field Engineers concerned. The bill was signed and passed by the EE only.

Sri G.Jaya Chandra Babu, the then Executive Engineer (I/C), RWS&S Division, Eluru, West Godavari District releases the withheld amount of Rs.1,10,63,016/- towards price variation by the previous Executive Engineer, without valid and authentic approvals causing undue advantage to the Contractor in deviation of codal rules and norms in vogue and causing loss to Government. He also failed to issue notices for slow progress of work.

Thus he failed to discharge his legitimate duties. From this it is evident that he has shown gross negligence towards his legitimate duties and caused loss to the exchequer to the Government.

Hence, the charge.

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**ANNEXURE - II**

**LIST OF THE DOCUMENTS BY WHICH THE ARTICLE CHARGES FRAMED AGAINST SRI G.JAYA CHANDRA BABU, THE THEN EXECUTIVE ENGINEER(I/C), RWS&S DIVISION, ELURU, WEST GODAVARI DISTRICT.**

Appraisal Report No.8(C.No.1273/V&E/E2/2013), Dated.07.08.2014 of GA(V&E) Department

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**ANNEXURE - III**

**LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHICH THE ARTICLE OF CHARGES ARE FRAMED AGAINST SRI G.JAYA CHANDRA BABU, THE THEN EXECUTIVE ENGINEER(I/C), RWS&S DIVISION, ELURU, WEST GODAVARI DISTRICT.**

- NIL -

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